

THE STATE OF EUROPE.  
We placed before our readers, in yesterday's Herald, a summary of the foreign intelligence received by the steamship Canada, which is two weeks later than what we were previously in possession of. That summary came to us direct from Halifax, Nova Scotia, by special express and telegraph, at a great expense, and created some commotion in the community. By this intelligence we learn the astounding fact that the whole European continent is on the eve of witnessing great events. There is scarce a country in that region that is not agitated to its centre, and in which revolution, war and bloodshed may not be expected to break out, without a moment's warning. The signs of the times are indeed portentous of revolution, war and violence. The Emperor of Russia, according to every indication, about to make some great movement, which may produce a general war in Europe. While this is going on, however, the progress of reform seems to assume a more active spirit, and to be at work, undermining the foundation of every monarchy and despotism there. In the absence of our files, we cannot enter into the details of the news. We shall probably receive them this morning; and in our issue of Monday, we shall publish the news item, together with our correspondence.

The most striking fact received by this arrival, is the account of a sanguinary battle between the British forces and the Sikhs in India, the continuance of peace and order in France, and the growing belief that the republic is safe. That battle, it would seem, was fought with great fury and bravery on both sides, and may be attended with very important consequences. There seems to be little room for doubt that the victory of the Sikhs was complete, from the fact that the British acknowledge the loss of twenty-five hundred men and ninety-three officers, as well as some of their guns and regimental colours. This loss, we have no doubt, is much under-rated; and this impression is confirmed by the doleful tone of the reports made on the result by the English press. The part of the British, very different results were anticipated. Vast preparations were made, not only to attack and defeat the Sikhs, but to annex the Punjab, and make it a portion of British India, in pursuance of the policy which that power has always pursued in that region. This might have been an important result—may change their plan of operations, and may yet end in a series of disasters to British power in India, which, if they do not annihilate, will seriously weaken it. If such be the case eventually, it will be a retribution not wholly undesired, and may be the precursor of the downfall of English domination throughout the world. The indirect effects of this Indian intelligence will be, to inspire the disaffected in England and Ireland, and especially those who are opposed to a further continuance of the existing state of things in Canada.

NEW YORK HERALD.

OPINION OF THE CABINET ON THE TARIFF. We annex the opinions of two of the new cabinet, relative to the tariff act of 1842. They will be read with interest just now. That of Mr. Meredith, the present Secretary of the Treasury, is of a very recent date.

PHILADELPHIA, Nov. 21, 1848.

My Dear Sir:—I had the pleasure of receiving, a few days since, your letter on behalf of the committee, inviting me to be present at the whig jubilee in Pottsville, on Saturday next. I regret extremely that my engagements here will prevent me from availing myself of the invitation. There could be no occasion for me to go, which would be a joyful participation in the festivities. The importance of the result of the late elections cannot be overrated.

The passage of the act of 1842 involved insult as well as injury to Pennsylvania, and her people must have been blind to their own honor and interest if they failed to resent it. The triumph must be a national one, which the people of the commonwealth, and in an especial and remarkable degree the people of Schuylkill county, have vindicated their rights at the recent elections, not only shows a determination that the principles of the tariff of 1842 shall be restored, and that their individual and corporate rights shall be maintained, but exhibits in a strong light the fact that the people cannot be long deceived, and that they can and will enforce the due responsibility of their public servants. While we are able to do this, we may be sure that the republic will continue to be safe, glorious, and triumphant, and the acceptance of our brethren the following sentiment:

"Pennsylvania—Profraternal against the violence of open enemies, and the subtleties of professed friends. She will always stand for the rights of industry and the principles of freedom."

I am, sir, with great esteem, very truly yours,  
W. M. MEREDITH.

B. PARTLOW, Esq.  
The following is an extract of a letter written in November, 1846, by Mr. Clay, the Secretary of State, to the whigs of Delaware:—

"If there be any among you who shall desire to play the game of double-dealing, as whigs measure any proposition which has for its object to baffle and defeat the unequivocal restoration of the tariff of 1842, let us at once repudiate the measure, as uncalculated for by the people, and opposed to their wishes. Scouting all abstractions and generalities, let us continue to present the principles of the tariff of 1842, as a national and only one, as an object visible and tangible—the restoration of the whig tariff of 1842. Let this stand as the watch word of the party—the shibboleth of our political faith. Inscribe it on every whig flag, and each will become a 'larum' as inviolable as the banner of the Constantines."

For the North Carolina Standard.

Mr. Editor: We have heard the wish expressed by many of our fellow citizens, that a Convention of the Democratic party of this District should be held at some early period, to nominate a candidate for the next Congress. We hope the proposition will meet with general approval. Although our majority is large, our opponents will be watchful to take advantage of divisions in our ranks; and it is the tendency of having many candidates to divide and estrange the different portions of the party. At a time like the present, when collateral questions are agitating the people, we ought to be more than ever careful to preserve unanimity and harmony, on which our permanent success depends. There can be no difficulty in selecting a suitable standard bearer out of the array of talent among us. Of course, we have our preference, but do not think it proper to express it at present.

We show that the suggestion that the Convention be held in Nashville, on the first Monday in May, which will give ample time for holding primary meetings to appoint delegates in all the counties. We hope our call will be promptly responded to throughout the District. SOME OF THE PEOPLE.

Mr. Meredith, the Secretary of the Treasury, has appointed Mr. Penrose, of Pennsylvania, to the office of Assistant Secretary of the Treasury. This gentleman was President of the Pennsylvania Senate at the time of the famous "back-shot war," and was the first one to jump out at the window, and fly in perfect consternation, at the approach of the people.

There is a Teller in the whole of Mr. Taylor's administration, and served as Solicitor of the Treasury. The Whigs are disclaiming it as an "administration" appointment, but say it was the act of the Secretary of the Treasury.

HON. A. W. VENABLE. The Hillsborough Democrat announces this gentleman a candidate for reelection to Congress. In our humble opinion, Mr. Venable is worthy the confidence of the people of his District. He has talents, and he has exerted them in a manner to deserve well of his country and of his party. Let the people of North Carolina never forget that Mr. Venable and Mr. Daniel were the only two representatives from North Carolina who showed their zeal for their country by signing the southern address.

Fay, Cor.

The editor of the New Orleans Bulletin, writing from Washington on the 4th of March, is guilty of a most egregious blunder. He says: "It was well understood, that unless Mr. Hannegan was confirmed, the civil and diplomatic bill would not be signed by the President, on the pretence that it was not passed previously to 13 o'clock." The whole story is false as well as absurd, as we happen to know, who were fully behind the scenes on that memorable night.

Washington Union.

INTELLIGENCE FROM CALIFORNIA. Letters received in this city, from sources entitled to the highest credit, declare that so far from being exaggerated, previous accounts from California have underrated the vast quantities of gold there to be found. Indeed, it appears the mines are inexhaustible.

Wash. Cor. Balt. Sun, March 23,

THE WESTERN TURNPIKE ROAD.  
This is a subject which is now attracting considerable attention of the public in this and all the counties West of us. The route which the road shall take between the towns of Statesville and Morganton is the point on which greatest interest is felt: The people of much the larger section of the country to be benefited by the road, desire that it shall pass near to the town of Lenoir, as practicable; not only for the reason that it will thereby accommodate the largest number, but will secure a connection with the Caldwell and Watauga Turnpike, which is now nearly completed; and which we believe, is designed to penetrate the valley beyond the Mountains in the State of Tennessee, in the direction of Jonesborough. This route will secure a large amount of trade from Tennessee, and give the same a direction towards Salisbury and Fayetteville; which taken in connection with the Central Rail Road and Plank Road schemes, becomes a subject of much importance not only to the Western counties, but to the State at large, especially when it is considered that a slight deviation from the route by Lenoir may lose to the State all the advantages of the Watauga road and of the Western Turnpike itself.

If the latter should, for instance, run from Statesville, via Newton, to Morganton, it is certainly calculated by those well acquainted with the present course of the trade, that that trade will never change its direction from the South, but taking the road to Charlotte via Lincolnton, will diffuse itself into South Carolina, leaving North Carolina the disagreeable reflection of having built another monument of folly. Nearly all the trade of the counties North of Newton already takes that direction, and if the Turnpike is not laid out with a view of inviting a change of its present course, it will only flow on, just as it has always done, cutting the Turnpike at right angles. We trust the people of that region most interested will take the proper steps to secure the advantages which will result from the proposed route, and upon them; and also, that the energies of the State may not be wasted.

Salisbury Watchman.

CANDIDATES FOR CONGRESS. The Salisbury Watchman announces Jos. P. Caldwell, of Fredrick County, Fed., as a candidate for Congress, in the second District, lately represented by Hon. N. Boyden, Fed. Gen. Dockery, Fed., of Richmond County, has already taken the stump in the 3d, or Lincoln District, lately represented by Mr. Barringer. Alexander Little, Esq., of Salisbury, will also probably be a candidate, having been strongly solicited by his friends, although we are not aware that he has publicly announced his intention to that effect. His politics are the same as those of Gen. Dockery.

HON. A. H. SHEPHERD, Fed., is a candidate for reelection, in the 4th District.

So far as the heads of Democratic candidates in any of the above Districts.

HON. A. W. VENABLE, Democrat, we are pleased to learn, is a candidate for reelection in the 5th District. We anticipate considerable amusement in watching the progress and future development of the pretty little squabble between Mr. Venable and some members of his party in the Mountain District.

Wilmington Journal.

PRESIDENT TAYLOR AND THE OFFICE SEEKERS. The New York Tribune, one of the most efficient supporters of Gen. Taylor's election, in one of its editorial says:—"All have performed their prostrations before him with an oriental abandonment; all have burned the sweetest incense on the altar of his self-approbation; and no harsh monitor who gravely whispered to the impatient potentate, 'Remember, Philip, thou art mortal!' has dared to utter a word of rebuke against him. He has been adulation rose-bud and superlative; and the general current of laudation has had a circular, gyratory and reactive operation, substantially as follows: 'Mr. President! you are the second Washington and no mistake; in fact, I rather think Washington did not do so much as you, and what a prodigy! the boy that did so much as you, and what a prodigy! elected. Hom! Can't you do something handsome for me now!—say [if an Army or Navy officer] a Brevet or promotion, or [if an office-wanter] a fat Consulship, Embassy, place in the customs, or something rich and juicy—a good deal to get and not much to do! Just say it, dear General!'"

How to GET RICH. Knock off two glasses of grog per day from the usual allowance. There's sixpence saved. A couple of cigars less per diem—four pence more saved. No nap from dinner with good appetite one day and that will save the sixpence of buying bitters in order to get hungry for the next day's meal. Take a little trouble to go to the cheapest stores and publication offices. Instead of paying a dollar to the apothecary for a bottle of his universal cure, abstain from dissipation. Walk instead of riding. Go to less to the play and what read more. Reading with attention is a lasting pleasure, an instructive one, and costs nothing. Every item of knowledge stored away in the mind is a portion of the securest treasures which we can possess. Always limit your purchase within your means, so that money may be left to do good. Be temperate and frugal. Go to less to the play and what read more. Reading with attention is a lasting pleasure, an instructive one, and costs nothing. Every item of knowledge stored away in the mind is a portion of the securest treasures which we can possess. Always limit your purchase within your means, so that money may be left to do good. Be temperate and frugal.

"Get a paper to spare?"  
"Yes, sir; here's one of our last. Would you like to subscribe, sir, and take it regularly?"  
"I would but I am too poor."  
That man had just come from the circus, cost him 50 cents; lost time from his farm, 50 cents; liquor, judging from the smell, at least 50 cents; making a dollar and a half yesterday, and then he had bought a newspaper, alleging that he was too poor to pay for it.

"That's what we call 'saving at the spigot and losing at the bung hole.'" Vermont Mercury.

I shall make honesty, capacity, and fidelity indispensable requisites to the bestowal of offices, and the absence of either of these qualities shall be deemed sufficient cause for removal. Gen. Taylor.

It is well for whigery that the people did not act on the principle here laid down last November, otherwise they would not have been so well prepared to submit now whether it is not unfair in Taylor to face about and apply to others what was not applied to him!

Lou. Dem.

LARGE CROP OF DOCTORS. A recent meeting of the Academy of Medicine in New York, Dr. Manly, stated that "at the present time, Doctors were made at the rate of from 1500 to 1600 a year, not for the benefit of the public or of the profession itself, but for the benefit of the very men who made them doctors. There were forty medical colleges throughout the country, which gave out more than 1000 doctors a year, and yet not one of them was a practitioner of any clinical instruction whatever, and no practice of anatomy."

ANOTHER CALIFORNIA WONDER. It is stated on the authority of a letter to New York, from San Francisco, that a spring has been discovered near San Francisco, which possesses the peculiar property of coloring leather to a beautiful jet black. The leather to be colored is allowed to remain in the water for about six days. Other materials are probably affected in like manner, though no experiments have as yet been made.

CONSUMPTION. There is, perhaps, no disease with which our country is afflicted, which sweeps so annually so many victims, as that fell destroyer, the human consumption. Day after day, year after year, the insatiable monster hurries to the portals of the cold and silent tomb fresh added victims to its conquest. No walk of life is sacred from its blighting influence. No age is exempt from its death-dealing grasp. The old, the middle-aged, and the young, all alike, are food for this consuming enemy of mankind. The white-haired patriarch, whose life of temperance has rendered his system impervious to the attacks of other ills, and whose good deeds prepared him for the enjoyment of life's calm evening, finds Consumption fastening its claws upon his vitals, and tearing from him the world ever bright to minds which long completely on days well spent.

There is no help for the afflicted! No preventive of the dangers which beset us in our changeable and fickle climate? We think there is. And if the allegations of those who are at least entitled to our respect, may be believed, there is a preventive and a remedy.

Wister's Balsam of Wild Cherry is offered to a suffering world of sin. It needs not the "adventurous aid" of a long string of fictitious certificates to give it notoriety. Its true value and intrinsic efficacy are sufficient to entitle it to the confidence of the public, and to enable it to "walk on to fame."

The name of the inventor, as a benefactor of his species, None genuine, unless signed L. BERRY on the wrapper. For sale, wholesale and retail, by WILLIAMS, HAYWOOD & CO., Raleigh, N. C.

ALL SORTS OF PARAGRAPHS.  
"The Equinox has crossed the sun." Yesterday week the day was just the length of the night, and the sun, turpkins, plank roads, and swamp lands. For some time now the days will get longer and the nights shorter—grass will grow, onions and corn will vegetate, and people will read our "all sorts of paragraphs." Can the Editor of the Wakeborough Argus contrive that? On the "Norman" topic we admit he has made a "conquest" of us, and so "we give it up."

PATENT GOOD. An old lady, living on one of the Telegraph lines leading from this city, observed some workmen digging a hole near her door, and enquired what it was for? "To put a post in for the Telegraph," was the answer. With fury and afright, she ineffectually seized her bonnet, and ran to the next neighbor with the news. "What do you think?" she exclaimed, in breathless haste, "they're setting up a telegraph post right against my door, and now I reckon a boy can't speak a child, or scold a hand, or chat with a neighbor, but that plaguy thing'll be a blabbin' 'till over creation! I won't stand it! I'll move right away, where there ain't none of their ornamental fivings!" Louisville Examiner.

A Washington letter in the New York Post, says:—"A messenger would not get out of New York, whether he goes to make some useful arrangements for the passage of the lady of Col. Fremont to California. Mrs. F. takes the steamer for Chagres, on Thursday. She will be accompanied by her brother-in-law, Mr. Jacobs, of Louisville, Ky. His generally known that Col. Fremont had made preparations previous to setting out upon his overland expedition last fall, for a permanent settlement in California. He forwarded by sea a most ample supply of farming implements and other things requisite for an extensive rural establishment. I understand that it is the intention of Mr. Jacobs, also, to settle in that region."

The death of an old man's wife, says Lamartine, is like cutting down an ancient oak that has long shaded the family mansion. Henceforth the glare of the world, with its cares and vicissitudes, fall upon the old widower's heart, and there is nothing to break their force or shield him from the full weight of misfortune. As a bright hand was withered, as if one wing of the eagle was broken, and every movement that he made only brought him to the ground. His eyes are dim and glassy, and when the film of death falls over him, he misses those accustomed tones which might have smoothed his passage to another world.

KILLEN EITHER WAY. When the celebrated engineer Brunel, who accompanied the desperate experiment of tunnelling the Thames river, was brought before a committee of the British Parliament, he was asked if a speed of eighty miles per hour on a certain railroad would be much more dangerous to the travellers upon it than a speed of forty?

"It would be just the same," said he.

"And a speed of ninety?"

"Just the same."

"And a speed of one hundred?"

"Just the same! For," added he, "if the cars should run off the track at the rate of forty miles per hour, the passengers would be killed; and if they should go at the rate of ninety or one hundred miles per hour, they could not conveniently go any further."

The Baltimore Correspondent of the Union learns, from good authority, that the Postmaster General has positively declined to appoint any editor to office unless he actually retires from the editorial tripod before entering on his duties. This will place him in an ugly position, as he is retiring, in order that his appointments may be received, disappointment may be his lot.

Stone and McCollum's Circus is at present in New Orleans, delighting the people there with wit, good riding, and ground and lofty tumbling. The Delta states that our renowned acquaintance John Smith is "managing" the best of things.

ALABAMA COIN. The Captain of the British steamship Dec, which now regularly touches at Mobile, has given a certificate that the Alabama coin used in his vessel is equal to the Welsh coin generally supplied to the Company's ships in the West Indies. It requires a stronger draught for burning, and has less clinker than some of the Welsh coin.

STANDER. The bachelor editor of the Boston Bee, in speaking of the domestic duties of females, says there are hundreds of ladies in that city who do not know how the apple gets into the heart of a dumpling.

Exchange Paper.

How should they, when it don't "get in" at all, but is put in, as the old lady told George III?

Boston Transcript.

NO LICENSE IN VERMONT. The people of Vermont have determined that no license to sell liquor shall be issued in that State for the year to come. Last year they voted just the other way. The returns have not yet been made, but it is believed that the majority will not be less than 10,000 to 12,000.

A deacon not remarkable for good eyesight once in giving out a psalm for the congregation to sing, when he came to the lines:

"The eastern stars shall come in  
With messages of grace,"

put the audience in a roar of laughter by reading in a loud voice:

"The eastern stars shall come in  
With sausages and cheese."

ADVERTISEMENTS. A wheel will run without grease, and a man may do business without advertising, but it is hard work. So says somebody, and a truer sentiment was never uttered. No man can succeed in business, unless he never has more customers than he can attend to, and as advertising brings business, it follows that every man doing business should advertise, for his own benefit and the convenience of the public. To make advertising profitable to the advertiser and convenient to purchasers, papers having the largest circulation should be selected for the dissemination of business notices.

Prov. Star.

"When I am dead," said Napoleon, "my soul will return to France, and dwell in the hearts of the French people like thunder in the clouds of Heaven, and throb with ceaseless strife in new revolutions."

A number of portable houses are now being manufactured in this city for California. They are rather curious structures, and have neither a mortar, nor nail, being screwed together. Should the next intelligence from California prove as favorable as that heretofore received, there will be a large emigration from this city, notwithstanding the large number that have already gone.

Baltimore Paper.

EXORCISATION. It appears from the annual report of the Commissioners of Emigration, that 180,176 emigrants arrived at New York during the year 1848, of whom 98,061 were from Ireland, 51,973 from Germany, and from other countries, 39,142.

The success of individuals in life, is greatly owing to their learning early to depend upon their own resources. Money, or the expectation of it by inheritance, has ruined more men than the want of it. Teach the young men to rely upon their own efforts, to be frugal and industrious, and you have furnished them a productive capital which no man can ever wrest from them, and one which they themselves will not feel disposed to alienate.

The island of Dorneo furnishes gold dust, and produces annually about \$5,000,000 worth.

DOG TAG IN ENGLAND. The amount raised by the dog tag in England is enormous. It is stated in some journals that 2,165,000 sterling was raised in 1847. The dogs, exclusive of packs of hounds, number about 300,000.

THE DEPTH OF THE OCEAN. The greatest depth ever reached by sounding in the Atlantic, was 900 miles west of St. Helena, where Sir James Ross found no bottom, with a fathom line of six miles and a quarter in length.

A landlord in Cincinnati, not being able to eject an obstinate tenant, fastened a band over his chimney, and thus smothered him out.

David C. Claypole, one of the proprietors of the first daily newspaper in the United States, died in Philadelphia a few days since, in the ninety-sixth year of his age. He is reported to have been a lineal descendant of Oliver Cromwell. His paper was entitled the Pennsylvania Packet and Advertiser, and was published at that of David C. Claypole's Advertiser, and is believed to have been established in 1776.

INVENTING POPPING THE QUESTION. "Charles," said a young lady to her lover, "there is nothing interesting in the papers to-day, is there, dear?" "No, love; but I hope there will one day, when we both shall be interested." The lady blushed and said, of course, "For shame, Charles!"

In the morning, think on what you are to do in the day, and at night, think on what you have done.

The Legislature of Kentucky, during its recent session, passed six hundred and seventy-one acts, and fourteen joint resolutions. Among the acts were one hundred and ninety-six granting divorces! A pretty respectable number for one session.

Great Britain produces annually \$3,000,000 tons of coal; Belgium, 4,960,077; France, 4,141,617; the United States, 4,400,000; Prussia, 3,560,000; and Austria, 700,000.

THE MARKETS.  
WILMINGTON, March 22, 1849.  
NATURAL STORES. Sales of Argentine since last report amount to about 2,073 bbls, all of which has been taken at \$2 35 for soft and 1 35 for hard. Sales of 131 bbls SPIRITS TURPENTINE at 25¢, and 100 bbls at 29¢ cents per gallon, and \$1 75 for bls not returnable, closing at latter price. Sales of 469 bbls TAR at \$1 20, and 342 do. at \$1 17½. Sales of ROSIN at 55¢ a 60 cents.

LAKESIDE—River—No wide boards on the market, and but little demand. Scantling—Several rafts waiting purchasers—no offers. Quotations nominal.

TEXAS—Stock light—Mill-wheat supplied—sales dull, and prices rather drooping.

FAYETTEVILLE, March 24.  
Cotton 6 to 6½; Corn 50 to 55 per bushel; Flour 24 25 to 24 50; Bacon 6 to 7 cts. per lb. &c. The Carolina says: "Business brisker than usual at this season of the year. Corn scarce, and in brisk demand. Liquors are scarce and advanced in price. Cotton firm and brisk."

BRONCHITIS, COUGH, CONSUMPTION, SORE THROAT, &c.  
Mr. John Beekford, a respectable merchant of Eastport, Me., says—Please send me a large supply of your reliable medicine, particularly the Expectant, as I have a great demand for them in the British Provinces. A gentleman from Windsor, (Province of New Brunswick), was passing through here on his way to Boston, to get cured of Bronchitis, when I recommended him to take your Expectant, which gave him immediate relief, and he returned home completely cured.

The Expectant has also brought one man to life here, after his physicians had given him up, and had taken nothing for three days. His complaint was Consumption.

I happened to call in and saw him in a very distressed situation. I recommended him to take the Expectant, thinking that it might give him some ease, he would expire with less agony, but he recovered right away.

Yours, &c., J. BUCKWOOD.

Jonathan Going, D. D. President of Granville College, Ohio, says: "He was labouring under a severe Cold, Cough, and Hoarseness, and that his difficulty of breathing was so great that he felt himself in imminent danger of immediate suffocation, but was perfectly cured by using this Expectant."

Mrs. Dilks, of Salem, N. J., was cured of Asthma of 20 years standing, by using two bottles of this medicine. Mrs. Ward, also of Salem, was cured of the same complaint by first bottles.

Lewis C. Levin, Esq., the distinguished advocate of Temperance, stated at a meeting of upwards of three thousand persons, that he should not have been able to address them, but for the use of "Jayne's Expectant." He said that he had been labouring under a hoarseness and severe oppression of the chest, that he had purchased some of the Expectant the day before, which had relieved him in a few hours, and he found himself, contrary to his own expectation, able to address the multitude.

Prepared only by Dr. D. Jayne, Philadelphia, and sold on Agency by Williams, Haywood, & Co., Druggists, Raleigh, N. C.

MARRIED.  
In Rockville, on the 20th instant, by J. M. Fleming, Esq., Perry Mills, Esq. of Tennessee, to Miss Minerva Ann Lee, daughter of Clayton Lee.

In Orange county, on the 23d instant, by Wesley Atwater, Esq., Gaston Booker to Miss Maria, daughter of Mr. James Booker, of the same county.

On Tuesday the 13th instant, at the residence of John T. Lane, Esq. in Craven, by the Rev. Daniel Stratton, Mr. Johnson H. Bryan to Miss Jane Lane.

In Newbern on the 11th inst., by Joshua Scott, Esq., Mr. William Williams to Miss Elizabeth Howard.

In Wayne county, on the 8th ult., Mr. John McDaniel of Cumberland, to Miss Rebecca, daughter of the late Major Uzzell of Wayne.

At Carthage, on the 8th inst., by Dr. S. C. Bruce, Mr. Wm. M. Person, son of Gen. Person, deceased, to Miss M. A. Jackson, daughter of the late Col. Jackson, all of Bladen county.

In Bladen county, on the 11th inst., by Love McDaniel, Esq., Mr. Marshall A. Sewell of Cumberland, to Melissa A. Thagard.

On the 8th inst., Dr. Albert Ellis to Miss Narcissa J. Bailey, all of Cleveland.

In Halifax County, on the 15th inst., Mr. David M. Abernathy to Miss Mary Reel.

In St. John's Church, on the 19th inst., by the Rev. J. B. Buxton, Mr. N. Branson to Miss Martha Jane McJr., daughter of the late John McJr. of Tallahassee, Florida, all of Fayetteville.

At Kenansville, Duplin county, on Saturday 17th inst., Mr. Lippman Arond to Miss Margaret Swinson.

DIED.  
At the residence of their father, Lewis C. Desmond, Esq., in Lenoir county, on Sunday the 5th of March, 1849, of Congestive Fever, Cordelia Wilcox Desmond, aged 5 years and 4 months; and also on the 9th instant, of the same disease, his youngest son, Richard Gatlin Desmond, aged about 10 years and 9 months.

In Wilkes County, on the 20th inst., Mrs. E. Rusk wife of Capt. Ben. Rusk of Fayetteville.

On the 18th inst., at the residence of Mrs. J. Brown, in Bladen county, Edward J. Bernard, aged 50 years.

In Guilford, on the 23d instant, Mrs. Thankful Doak, widow of the late Col. William Doak.

In Halifax County, on the 17th instant, Mrs. Martha Wilcox, at an advanced age. Also, Mr. Sugar J. Davis, aged 60 years.

NEW SPRING GOODS!  
We have received a portion of our Spring Stock, among which are the following:  
Dr. J. Phillips, Granit Berages,  
Mode Lustres, French Chintz and Muslin,  
Satin Striped Alpacas, Embroid' Muslins,  
Prints, French Work'd Caps, Mourning  
Laws, &c. &c.  
At our usual low terms.

HEARTT & LITCHFORD.  
Also, Plain and Embroidered Muslin Sacks and Vests.  
Raleigh, March 28, 1849. 751—

Commission & Auction Business,  
AT WILL PECK & SON'S,  
COMMISSION AND AUCTION STORE,  
Raleigh, N. C.  
CONTINUED AS USUAL.  
ALL BUSINESS ENTRUSTED TO US, SHALL BE EXECUTED PROMPTLY AND FAIRLY.  
Raleigh, March 21, 1849. 751—3t.

NEW CONFECTIONARY STORE.  
MRS. WOLTERING would respectfully announce to the citizens of Raleigh that she keeps constantly on hand a general assortment of Confectionaries, Fancy Goods, Groceries of every description, &c. &c. which will be disposed of at prices to suit the times. As she is determined to give satisfaction to her customers, she respectfully solicits a share of public patronage. Her Confectionary may be found near the Raleigh Rail Road Depot.  
Raleigh, March 1849. 751—

Democratic Meeting.  
The Democrats of Wake County are respectfully invited to attend a meeting to be held in the City Hall, in Raleigh, on Tuesday the 3rd instant, at 2 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of considering the propriety of appointing Delegates to a Convention, to be held for this District, to nominate a Candidate for Congress.  
MANY DEMOCRATS.  
March, 1849. 751—

A Teacher Wanted.  
A Competent Teacher in the English and Classical branches, is wanted, to take charge of the Rockville Academy, in Wake County. Early application is desired, as the session commences the 15th of April. For further information address the Postmaster at Rockville.  
March 27, 1849. 751—3t.

Oranges.  
100 Boxes Sicily Oranges—sweet and good, received this day, in prime order, and for sale low by SAM'L H. MARKS.  
Petersburg, March 19, 1849. 751—

Smyrna Figs.  
FIFTY Drums Smyrna Figs—new crop, for sale by SAM'L H. MARKS.  
Petersburg, March 19, 1849. 751—

PETERSBURG ADVERTISEMENTS.  
Petersburg Importing House.  
CHINA, EARTHEN, & GLASS WARE.  
MARCH 28, 1849.  
I HAVE now received and opened my SPRING SUPPLY OF GOODS, and offer to Merchants and others, one of the largest and best assorted stocks to be found in this State. These Goods being of my own direct importation from England, enables me to recommend their quality, as well as to sell them on the most favorable terms.

Porcelain China.  
Dinner, Tea and Toilet Sets, of English and French makes in Rich Gilt, Plain Gilt, Lustre and Purple figured, Painted, White, &c., in large or small Sets, or detached pieces, Toilet Sets, Pitchers, Card Baskets, Flower Vases, rich gilt Coffee Cups, Mugs, &c. in great variety.

Dinner, Tea, and Toilet Ware.  
White Granite, Flowing Blue, Mulberry, Blue, &c., Printed Dinner, Tea and Toilet Sets of the latest styles and patterns.

Earthenware.  
A full assortment of all articles suitable for Country Merchants and Retailers, of good quality, patterns and styles.

Glassware.  
Rich and plain cut Glass of all kinds. Also, Decanters, Tumblers, Wines, Jars, &c. Of plain Glasses, a large supply, of which I am just opening from the best manufacturers of this country.

Lamps, Girandoles, Looking Glasses, Waiters, Plated Sheffield Castors and Candlesticks; Dixon's superior Britannia Tea-Ware, Britannia Castors, and a very large supply of Fancy Goods.

Merchants who are disposed to purchase in this Market, will find it to their advantage to call and examine my stock.

N. B. Packing by experienced hands, and not surpassed by any house in the Union.

JAMES P. SMITH,  
Sycamore Street.  
Petersburg, Va. 751—4t.

SUGAR, COFFEE, MOLASSES, &c.  
The subscribers offer for sale on their usual favorable terms,  
250 hbls and barrels brown Sugars, part of choice quality.  
1200 bags and barrels Coffee, some prime old Java, Jamaica, &c. &c. (Liquors always on hand.)  
225 packages of Wash, crushed and powdered Sugars  
150 hbls and barrels Molasses  
500 sides sole Leather, Oak and Hemlock  
300 doz. Wedding Hoes assorted  
100 tons Sued, English and American Iron  
400 bags patent and No. 1 quality  
250 boxes Candies, Sperm, Adamantine and Tallow  
100 boxes brown and pale Soap  
2500 sacks fine and ground Salt  
3500 yards heavy Cotton Bagging, together with a large and well assorted stock of other Goods in their line. (Intoxicating Liquors.)  
McILWAIN & BROWNLYN.  
Prompt attention given to the sale of Produce on Commission.  
Petersburg, Va., March 22, 1849. 751—6t.

IMPORTANT TO EVERY BODY.  
HAVING made arrangements with one of the most extensive manufacturers of No. 1 Needles, in England to supply me with Quality needles, I am enabled to supply kept in stock for the purchase thereof, as to the prices and quality, as my prices shall be always guaranteed of best quality, and the articles chalked down to the lowest notch—much lower, indeed, than inferior articles are sold for—by sale by the thousand or single paper.

Also Silver Thimbles, by the dozen, of first rate retailing quality and exceedingly low.

CALL AT LUMSDEN'S  
Watch and Jewellery Store.  
Where a good assortment of the very richest and most fashionable Jewellery, Watches, Spectacles, Silver Thimbles, Pencils, Gold Pens, Miniature Lockets, Silver Spoons, Military and Fancy Goods, in fact every article usually kept in Jewellery Store. My Goods being bought at the lowest Cash Prices from first hands, I am enabled to sell as

Low as any House North or South.  
The Beaux and Belles, who wish to shine, Can make themselves extremely fine With rings, with Bangles and Bracelets part, And all things else to suit the fair.

I am well and efficiently prepared to give universal satisfaction in the repairing of Watches, Clocks, Spectacles, Pencils, Jewellery, &c. &c.

Persons passing through Petersburg will find their interest subserved by leaving with him Watches or other work they may have to repair.

CHARLES LUMSDEN.  
Petersburg Va. March, 1849. 750—3mpd.

BLAKE PITTMAN,  
(LATE OF HALIFAX, N. C.)  
COMMISSION MERCHANT,  
PETERSBURG, VIRGINIA.  
GIVES his special attention to the sale of all kinds of Country produce, the purchase of Goods, and the receiving and forwarding of Goods.

B. F. Moore, Esq. Raleigh, N. C.  
Thomas K. Thomas, Esq. Louisville, N. C.  
W. T. Dortch, Esq. Rocky Mount, N. C.  
M. Weston, Battleboro', N. C.  
Jesse H. Powell, Do.  
Dr. J. Phillips, Do.  
N. M. Long, Esq. Weldon, N. C.  
L. M. Long, Esq. Do.  
James Simmons, Patterson, Cooper & Co., Petersburg, Va.  
Willis & Lea, Do.  
B. F. Halsey, P. S. Marshall, Halifax, N. C.  
February 1st, 1849. 745—3m.

SAMUEL H. MARKS,  
STACOMORE STREET, PETERSBURG, VA.  
WHOLESALE AND RETAIL-DEALER IN  
CONFECTIONARY, FRUITS, CEGARS, AND  
FANCY GOODS.  
WOULD respectfully inform his town and country friends, and the public generally, that by recent arrivals from the Northern Cities, he is enabled to offer greater inducements in his line than any other house in Petersburg, he having taken a much larger house (five doors below his former stand), and adding, at a considerable expense, a large Establishment for the manufacture of Confectionary of every description, can say with confidence, that he can sell as good articles and at as low prices as can be purchased at any of the Northern Cities. He would particularly invite Country Merchants, who are about making their purchases, to give him a call.

N. B. All those disposed to favor me with their orders, may rely upon their receiving my immediate attention.

S. H. M.  
Petersburg, Va. 750—

PETERSBURG COMMISSION HOUSE.  
DICKINSON & LESTER,  
BOLLINGBROOK ST.,  
Petersburg, Va.  
WILL give attention to the sale of all kinds of PRODUCE, AND FORWARDING GOODS.  
REFER TO  
Hon. A. W. Venable, Granville, and W. Whitaker, Jr. Esq. Raleigh.  
JOHN DICKINSON, Late of Danville, Petersburg, Va., Jan. 29, 1849. 742—4m-pd.

W. R. PEPPER.  
RESPECTFULLY returns his thanks to the citizens of North Carolina, for the patronage he has received from them, while engaged in business in the city of Raleigh, and begs leave to inform them that he may be found at

Jarratt's Hotel, Petersburg, Va., where he will be happy to see his old friends and acquaintances, and pledges himself to leave nothing undone on his part to contribute to their comfort and convenience. He hopes his friends will give him a call.  
Raleigh, March 6, 1849. 749—wsm.

GRAND AND BRILLIANT LOTTERIES FOR APRIL, 1849.  
J. W. MAURY & Co., Managers.  
\$35,000.  
\$13,000! \$10,000!  
VIRGINIA STATE LOTTERY  
For the Benefit of Monongahela Academy.  
Class No. 51, for 1849.  
To be drawn at Alexandria, Va., on Saturday, April 14th, 1849.  
SPLENDID SCHEME!  
1 Prize of \$35,000! 1 do. of \$13,000! 1 do. of \$10,000! 1 do. of \$5,000! 1 do. of \$3,500! 1 do. of \$2,000! 1 do. of \$1,000! 1 do. of \$500! 1 do. of \$250! 1 do. of \$100! 1 do. of \$50! 1 do. of \$25! 1 do. of \$10! 1 do. of \$5! 1 do. of \$2! 1 do. of \$1!  
78 Number Lottery—14 Drawn Balfords.  
Tickets \$10—Halves \$5—Quarters \$2 50.  
Certificates of Packages of 26 Wholes \$130 00  
Do do of 26 Halves 65 00  
Do do of 26 Quarters 32 50

Orders for Tickets and Shares and Certificates of Packages in the above splendid Lotteries will receive the most prompt attention, and an official receipt of such drawings sent immediately after it is over to all who order from us at Address  
J. & C. MAURY,  
Agents for J. W. MAURY, & Co., Managers,  
Alexandria, Virginia.

Manufacturing Establishment.  
JOSEPH WOLTERING.  
For a number of years Foreman of the Raleigh and Gaston Rail Road Shop,  
RESPECTFULLY announces to the citizens of Raleigh and the surrounding country, that he is now prepared to manufacture  
Locks of all descriptions, Guns and Pistols, Edge Tools, Mill-Work, Brass Castings, Carriage Springs, and in short anything in Machine and Blacksmith Work.

He is also prepared to execute Bell-Hanging at the shortest notice. Also, has on hand an extensive assortment of Locks of all kinds, prices from 10 cents to \$20. Edge Tools, Axes, Drawing Knives, Hatchets, Hammers, Files, &c.

All orders faithfully executed at the lowest prices, and new work entrusted to his care will be warranted. Repairing in his line performed with neatness and despatch. Also a general assortment of Guns and Pistols. His Establishment will be found at the Raleigh Rail Road Depot.  
Raleigh, March 28, 1849. 751—

State of North Carolina, Wake County.  
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, Feb. Term, 1849.  
W. F. S. Alston and Wm. H. Hester, es.  
Mary J. Kenyon.  
Caret of George L. Alston's Will.

A paper writing purporting to be the last will and testament of Geo. L. Alston, was brought into Court and offered for probate, by W. F. Alston and Wm. H. Hester, the Executors therein named.

When Mary J. Kenyon, one of the heirs at law of the said George L. Alston, appears in open Court and contests a caveat to the said will, whereupon it was ordered by the Court that an issue be made up to try whether the said paper writing be the last will and testament of the said George L. Alston or not.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that James L. Thomas, wife Grizzly, and Mary L. Moore, Martha H. Moore, George E. L. Moore, John M. Moore, Lem'l. K. Moore, Eliza H. S. Moore, and Nath'l. S. Moore, children of E. L. Moore, the said George L. Alston, are non-residents of this State, it is ordered that advertisement be made in the North Carolina Standard, a newspaper published in the city of Raleigh, six weeks successively, for said defendants to appear at the next term of this Court to be held for the county of Wake, at the Court House in the city of Raleigh, on the 15th day of May next, and join in the said caveat if they think proper.

Witness, James T. Marriott, Clerk of our said Court, at office the 3rd Monday of February, 1849.  
JAMES T. MARRIOTT.  
(Pr. of Adv. \$5 62½.) 751—6w.

State of North Carolina, Chatham County.  
Lane A. Hutson, Administrator of John Moore, dec'd., and in his own right, and Elizabeth Moore, wife of Joseph Moore, James Moore, Harris Bray, and wife Rachel, James, John, and Eli McCaslin, and William Warren, and wife Lydia, and Rebecca Hobbs, Petition for sale of Slaves.

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendants in this case are non-residents of this State, it is ordered that advertisement be made in the North Carolina Standard, a newspaper published in the city of Raleigh, for six weeks successively for said defendants to appear at the next term of this Court to be held for the county of Chatham, at the Court House in the city of Raleigh, on the second Monday in May next, then and there to plead, answer, or demur to this petition, of the same will be taken pro confesso and heard ex parte as to them.

Witness Nathan A. Stedman, Clerk of our said Court, at office the second Monday of February, A. D. 1849, and seventy-third year of American Independence.  
NATHAN A. STEDMAN, C.  
(Pr. adv. \$5 62½.) 751—

State of North Carolina, Wake County.  
Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, Feb. Term, 1849.  
William R. Poole vs. William Anderson.  
"Attachment levied on Land."

It appearing to the satisfaction of the Court that the defendant Wm. Anderson, has removed beyond the limits of this State, it is ordered by the Court that advertisement be made in the North Carolina Standard, a newspaper published in the city of Raleigh, for six weeks successively, notifying the said Wm. Anderson, to be and appear at the next term of our Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions, to be held for the county of Wake, at the Court House in the city of Raleigh, on the third Monday of May next, then and there to plead and answer, or demur to this petition, of the same will be taken pro confesso and heard ex parte as to him.

Witness, James T. Marriott, Clerk of our said Court, at office the second Monday of February, A. D. 1849, and seventy-third year of American Independence.  
JAMES T. MARRIOTT, Clerk.  
(Pr. adv. \$5 62½.) 751—6t.

\$150 REWARD.  
RANAWAY from the subscriber on the night of the 12th instant, without